

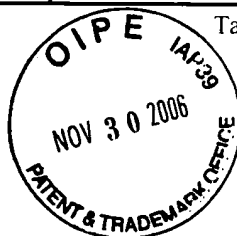


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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

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- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/17/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 05/17/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/17/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 05/17/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 05/17/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/17/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 05/17/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
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#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

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October 19, 2006

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RE: U.S. Patent Application No. 10/595,872  
*Cleaning Compositions*  
Our Ref.: 102792-210  
Reckitt Benckiser Ref.: 11362P3 US

Dear Andrew:

Greetings! I hope that this letter finds you well. It's been some time since we've been in touch, and I hope things are working out for you.

I have lately been contacted by Reckitt Benckiser to assist in obtaining your signature on several of the enclosed documents. By way of enclosure, please find a copy of the above U.S. patent application identified in this letter of which you are a named co-inventor, as well as a copy of a Combined Oath, Declaration and Power of Attorney, and U.S. Assignment. I would be very much obliged if you could review the attached documents, sign the latter two documents at the place indicated in permanent, non-black ink, and return these documents to me in the enclosed courier envelope. As you know, a condition of your employment at Reckitt Benckiser was the transfer of rights to intellectual property to Reckitt Benckiser, and cooperation in the execution of necessary papers, e.g., the enclosed documents.

I understand the enclosed documents had been previously sent to you directly from Reckitt Benckiser – Group Patents Department in Hull, U.K. They have informed me however that they have, to date, received no response from you although these were sent on several occasions.

As a personal favor Andrew, if you choose not to cooperate and sign the enclosed documents, could I at least ask you to sign and return the attached letter to me in the enclosed courier envelope? It would be very helpful so that I can take the necessary next steps before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

I hope the above is not too inconvenient.

As always, if you have any questions, never hesitate to give me a call at (212) 808-0700, or e-mail [aparfomak@nmmlaw.com](mailto:aparfomak@nmmlaw.com). I very much enjoyed working with you for quite a number of years, and frankly, while I will say that with the departure of further persons from the Montvale Technical Center, the place does seem a little bit more forlorn and lonely than it did in the late 1990s!

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Andrew".

Andrew N. Parfomak

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Enclosures – as indicated

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*Cleaning Compositions*  
NM&M Ref.: 102792-210  
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Dear Andrew:

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of October 19, 2006 and the enclosed documents, including the patent application, the U.S. Assignment, and the Combined Oath, Declaration and Power of Attorney. I understand that I am a named co-inventor in the above-identified application.

However, I choose not to sign these documents.

Very truly yours,

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
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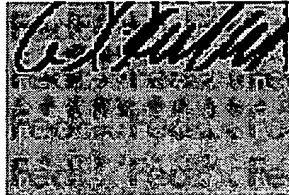
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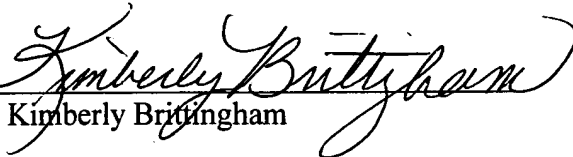
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I hereby certify that the following items:

1. Petition to Admit Oath & Declaration Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.47(a), 35 USC 118
2. Copy of Combined Oath, Declaration and Power of Attorney as executed by inventor Tak Wai CHEUNG
3. Copy of Combined Oath, Declaration and Power of Attorney as executed by inventor Steven WU
4. Copy of Combined Oath, Declaration and Power of Attorney as executed by inventor Edward FU
5. Copy of letter dated October 19, 2006 to Andrew COURTNEY
6. Copy of Federal Express tracking report
7. Copy of USPTO Form PCT/DO/EO/905 titled "Notification of Missing Requirements"
8. Return Receipt Postcard

are being deposited with the United States Postal Services as First Class Mail on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

NORRIS, McLAUGHLIN & MARCUS, P.A.

By   
Kimberly Brittingham